To Participants in the Ballot Analysis Process:

Senate Bill 05-94 requires the Director of Research of the Legislative Council to conduct a public meeting before the draft of the ballot information booklet is finalized. At that meeting, the director and other members of the legislative staff have the opportunity to ask questions that arise in response to the written comments received. An excerpt of the pertinent statute is at the end of this email.

As required by Senate Bill 05-94, the Director of Research will convene a meeting on Friday, August 28, 2015, at 11:00 a.m., in House Committee Room 0109 of the State Capitol on the following ballot analysis:

Proposition BB: Retain Revenue in Excess of Blue Book Estimate

At this time, the legislative staff does not have any unanswered questions of the individuals who submitted written comments on the drafts of the ballot analysis. It is anticipated that the meeting will be very brief. No public testimony will be taken at the meeting.

Thank you for your interest and assistance thus far in the process.

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Excerpt from SB 05-94:

1-40-124.5. Ballot information booklet. (1.7)(a) After receiving written comments from the public in accordance with section 1 (7.5) (a) (II) of article V of the state constitution, but before the draft of the ballot information booklet is finalized, the director of research of the legislative council of the general assembly shall conduct a public meeting at which the director and other members of the legislative staff have the opportunity to ask questions that arise in response to the written comments. The director may modify the draft of the booklet in response to comments made at the hearing. The legislative council may modify the draft of the booklet upon the two-thirds affirmative vote of the members of the legislative council.